

LATEST NEWS FROM ABROAD.

Representative Bland Calls Absent Congressmen Anarchists.

A WELL-KNOWN NEW YORKER IN JAIL.

The Eastern Political Disasters—President Harrison at Stanford University. The Golden Rule Bazaar in San Francisco Destroyed by Fire—Etc.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Cuban centrifugal, 96 degrees, 3.3-16 cents; granulated, 4 1/2 cents. The San Francisco market is without feature. Receipts continue large.

Hope for the Canal.

A dispatch from Washington, dated the 26th, says: It is the purpose of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations to take up Morgan's bill for the reorganization of the Nicaraguan canal during the present session. Morgan and Frye are both known to be anxious to promote the enterprise. It is understood the President is convinced of the importance of the canal, and Gresham is also in accord with Morgan on the subject. The publication of the testimony taken by this commission in the Hawaiian investigation contains many allusions to the canal brought out by questions asked by these Senators, to demonstrate the importance of controlling the Islands in case the canal is built and to show the dependence of one interest on the other.

In Congress.

The report of the Committee on Foreign Affairs on the Hawaiian matter, which appears elsewhere in this issue, is the most important action in Congress for the past ten days, and it has taken some of the interest from the tariff question. The Senate is still struggling with the sugar scale and also with iron ore and coal. Sugar is said to have given them the most trouble, with the income tax a good second. The committee has strictly carried out its rule to give no hearing to people who desired to argue against the various phases of the Wilson bill. The measure will therefore be what the committee think it ought to be. It is expected the bill will be ready to be reported in a few days. It is understood that the screws will be put on the whisky and brandy distillers in the shape of a heavy increase of tax, and that the California wine men will be ruined by the legislation proposed.

In the House Bland has failed to secure a quorum for a vote on his silver seigniorage bill, owing to the filibustering of Democrats. A number of the latter were finally arrested and brought before the bar of the House, but were not punished, and are again at their old tricks. Bland took occasion to roast the filibustering members most severely.

"I saw gentlemen here," said he, shaking his head savagely and lifting his voice until it fairly rang through the hall, "disobey the rules and commands of this House. I saw gentlemen rise and boast that they had defied the power of the House. If that is not anarchy and revolution what is it? [Democratic applause.] We in the House are the fountain source of order, the law-making body. Shall we resolve ourselves into a body of anarchists? If some one were to throw a bomb from yonder gallery he would be no more an anarchist than he who on this floor defies the power of the House. [Cries of "Shame! Shame!" and hisses.]

"While the people of this country are in the throes of hunger and starvation," continued Bland, angered by the demonstration against him, "when they expect us to do something, to become filibusters and obstructionists is to become anarchists, for its purpose is a defiance of the laws of the country. We were sent here to do our duty at a time when our cities are thronged with mobs of people who cannot go to bed in peace and comfort, and this is not a time when mob law should obtain here."

The following from the New York Sun, of Feb. 22, will hardly be interesting reading for the friends of the President: Governor Cleveland's plurality for President on the popular vote in all the forty-four States of the Union fifteen months ago was 366,211. The plurality on Tuesday last against Mr. Cleveland and the policies of his administration was half as large as that, in the single State of Pennsylvania, one State out of forty-four. Such is the verdict from Pennsylvania. The verdict from New York a fortnight ago was the same. It will be the same wherever the people get a chance to vote.

Political disasters and new humiliations are closing in upon the Democracy from every quarter. Popular condemnation of the dishonest anti-Democratic Wilson bill, the insane income tax project, and the infamous monarchical plot which the present Administration has made distinctive features, takes impressive form whenever and wherever the ballotboxes are opened. This is the time to tell the plain truth, and here is the truth in its nakedness.

Defeat does not necessarily bring dishonor. Defeat in defence of a principle or in an honest attempt to redeem a sacred pledge or for the right or for the flag can never be dishonorable. That is not the sort of defeat to which Grover Cleveland has led the Democracy in the eleven months since he entered into office with a commission plainly written and a straight and clear way before him.

His promise repudiated and insolently ignored, the Democracy trampled under foot, responsibility shirked, lying and cowardly evasions substituted for the unqualified declarations of a few months ago, American sentiment outraged and defied, personal whims or personal spite made the party's law.

Here we have in forty words the

history of the first year of the Democratic Administration that began with golden prospects. Defeat with dishonor, that is the bitterness of it, and dishonor is worse than defeat.

San Francisco News.

Martin Sachs, of the firm of L. & M. Sachs, died at St. Helena on the 25th instant. He left an estate of \$2,000,000. The corner stone of the new French Hospital at Point Lobos and Fifth Avenues was laid on the 25th instant with appropriate ceremonies.

General J. M. Allen, a veteran of the Mexican war, died recently from alcoholism. He was Adjutant General of the State under Governor Haight. C. P. Huntington has come from New York on his annual trip. He says that not much in the way of railroad building will be done by the Southern Pacific Company this year.

Glanders has been discovered in the city, and one woman, Mrs. Sophia Bernier, has died from the effects of the disease. The Olympic Club has dropped 200 members for non-payment of dues and assessment. Legal complications are threatened by those who claim they were illegally assessed.

A rate war is on between the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe. Passenger rates both ways are being slashed, and a large influx of settlers is expected.

The Blood Horse Association has gone out of existence, and hereafter the running races of the city will be conducted by the California Jockey Club.

The Golden Rule Bazaar, the well-known establishment of Davis Brothers, at 718 Market street, was destroyed by fire on the evening of February 26th. The loss, which is heavy, is estimated by the firm at about \$250,000, covered by an insurance of \$175,000 in nearly all the local agencies. The building belonged to the Blythe estate, and was insured for about \$20,000. It is a total loss. The cause of the fire is unknown.

American News.

"Buffalo Bill" (W. F. Cody) and Fred May, the New Yorker who once fought a duel with James Gordon Bennett of the New York Herald, came to blows in Washington on the 17th inst. Another duel is threatened. The row was about a woman.

Joseph Keppler, caricaturist and one of the owners of Puck, died at New York on the 19th of heart disease. He had a varied career until, with Schwartzman, he founded the paper that made him famous and wealthy.

President Cleveland on the 19th inst. nominated Senator Edward D. White of Louisiana to the Supreme Bench, the position for which Judge Horublower and Wheeler H. Peckham failed of confirmation. White was at once confirmed.

John Y. McKane, the boss of Coney Island, has received a six years' sentence in Sing Sing Prison, New York, for corrupting the ballot. A great legal effort is being made to save him from the stripes.

The unemployed in Boston recently made a great demonstration at the State House, but were dispersed by the police. Steps are being taken in New York and Boston for the relief of the thousands who want work.

Mrs. Henry O. Havemeyer was seriously injured in a runaway accident in New York on the 17th inst.

As a supplement to the annual class riot between the freshmen and sophomores of Cornell College on the 20th, the sophomores perpetrated a dastardly and dangerous trick by generating chlorine gas in the hall where the freshmen were holding their banquet. Several freshmen were carried out insensible from the fumes. A corps of physicians was summoned. One colored woman who was employed by the caterer subsequently died. The civil authorities are trying to locate the perpetrators of the outrage.

Baby Esther Cleveland was baptized on the 20th inst. at the White House. R. Clarke Forsythe of Chicago was robbed of \$25,000 in securities, mostly non-negotiable, on the 21st inst.

Henry Guy Carleton, the playwright, whose latest production, "The Butterflies," has made a hit, and Miss Olive May, the actress, are married. She is a vivacious young woman, who awoke the day after the production of that play and found herself famous to some extent.

Norman L. Munro, well known to the American public as a publisher and yachtman, died in New York on the 24th from the effects of an operation performed upon him for the removal of his vermiform appendix.

Ex-President Harrison left Indianapolis on the 24th, en route to Stanford University, where he will deliver a course of lectures on constitutional law.

Steele Mackaye, the actor and playwright, died in his special car on the Santa Fe train while a few miles south of La Junta, Col., on the 25th. He was on his way from Chicago to San Diego in quest of health, and was accompanied by his wife, nurse and Dr. H. N. D. Parker. He arrived at La Junta on the 24th and had his car sidetracked, as he was feeling very weak. He grew weaker until death came. Cancer of the stomach was the cause.

Erastus Wiman, the noted New Yorker, was jailed on the 21st inst. on charges of forgery preferred by R. G. Dunn and other members of the R. G. Dunn Co. They claim to have lost about \$225,000 by Wiman's acts. Wiman has pleaded not guilty and promises a bombshell for his accusers when he is tried.

Foreign News.

Later details of the disaster to the British force in the encounter with slave dealers on the west coast of Africa have been received. The British troops numbered 220. They had destroyed two strongholds, and were returning to Kemboujeh creek for the purpose of re-embarking, when ambushed. There had been no sign of an enemy and the attack was sudden and unexpected. The British had entered into a trap and were surrounded on every side. In spite of the suddenness of the onslaught and the terrible fire to which they were subjected, the sailors tried to make a stand. The attempt was useless, however, as the enemy maintained well directed volleys. Amidst a storm of bullets the English were compelled to retreat. So ferocious was the attack that the British were unable to rescue the bod-

ies of Lieutenant of Marines F. W. Hervey and the eight others who were killed. In the retreat they were forced to abandon a field piece and 600 cartridges.

On the arrival of the news at Bathurst the war vessels Aviso and Alcyon were dispatched to the scene of the disaster, and attempted to land a party at Conjoir. The enemy was prepared for their arrival and opened up a heavy fire which compelled the party to retire. The Alcyon thereupon returned to Bathurst for reinforcements. Three hundred men of the West India Regiment are expected at Bathurst and the expedition against the slave dealers will be resumed immediately upon the arrival of these soldiers.

The Italian Minister of Finance reported to the House on the 21st inst., that the deficit for the fiscal year amounted to one hundred and fifty million lire, and that the only way to prevent the deficit from increasing was to increase taxation in a country that is practically bankrupt.

Eustis, United States Ambassador to France, is said to desire to retire and make a campaign for United States Senator from Louisiana.

A dispatch from Toronto says that the canal scheme to connect Georgian bay with Lake Ontario has passed the committee stages. It now has to go to the Council for ratification. If successful, the promoters promise to spend \$80,000,000 on it. Traffic going by the way of the Erie canal will be diverted into Lake Ontario and through the St. Lawrence river to Europe. The route is 839 miles shorter than by the Lake Erie canal. The promoters expect to get all the Western traffic.

Admiral Da Gama again succeeded in running the forts in the harbor of Rio with his flagship Aquidaban, and is said to be seeking the dynamite cruiser Nichteoy, in the hope of sinking her before she can get into the rebel fleet in Rio and use the dynamite shells upon them. When they meet a great fight is expected in which one or both may go down.

A dispatch of the 21st says that the captain of the British merchantman Nasmith made application to the British man-of-war for assistance necessary to enable him to obtain a supply of water, and was contemptuously refused. The merchant skipper proposed applying to Admiral Benham for aid, whereupon the commander of the war vessel sneeringly answered that he might do as he liked. The captain of the merchantman then appealed to Admiral Benham, who assigned Lieutenant Kilbourn to guard the water boat under the American flag.

Vessels of all nations are seeking the protection of the United States flag. British sailors are open cursing the British officers, who, they declare, are sacrificing commerce to aid Da Gama. Evidence of the existing feeling in this respect is given in the fact that at the principal landing yesterday the British flag was trampled in the dirt by British sailors, whose officers expressed no word of disapproval of their act, which was accompanied by cheers for Uncle Sam.

There have been several more bomb explosions in Paris without doing much damage, but the Government is getting tired of police protection, and it is probable that the famous city will again be placed under martial law. This has not occurred since the Franco-Prussian war in 1870.

MINISTER STEVENS.

Captain Palmer Says He Acted Like an Honest Man.

In the special correspondence of the Boston Transcript there has already been published the following estimate of Hon. John L. Stevens:

"Minister Stevens could not have done his duty to his Government did he not consider it (annexation) as the all-important question, and so far as a representative abroad may advise the executive, had he not clearly and frankly expressed his official opinion as to its possibility and expediency. It is not necessary to believe that he was a conspirator; it is far more probable that he was a sincerely honest man, acting for the best interests of his country. In the handwriting of Hon. John L. Stevens to me, now open before me, I read these words: 'The points in issue in Hawaii are not of theology or church government, but those pertaining to free government as against an irresponsible monarchy, of public morality and financial honesty as against public license and reckless expenditure.'

"I know the island people well enough, and understand enough of the human heart to assert that all insinuations that our nation's representative was other than an American sincerely devoted to the honor of his country and the good of humanity will never be noticed by me. Mr. John L. Stevens may have been hot-headed, misguided, an imaginary Lafayette to struggling land, anything which those miles typify, if you please, for the greatest evils are often the result of the blunders of the good, and this is as far as anyone can go in commending his action. In defence of the oft-repeated assertion that the troops were quartered in a hall near the palace, it occurs to me to add that this was merely a matter of momentary convenience, not of prior selection; it is not easy at an hour's notice to secure barracks for an army. Arion Hall was about the only room available in which the men could get a night's sleep."

JULIUS A. PALMER, JR.

Forgot to Take Out a License.

D. G. Camarinos, the well-known San Francisco fruit merchant, was recently arrested for selling liquor without a license at the Midwinter Fair grounds, where he conducts the Hawaiian restaurant. He finally settled the case by paying about \$50 in addition to the cost of the license.

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